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TREASURER'S ACCOUNT
OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

IN THE TOWN OF
PETERBOROUGH, N. H.,

FOR THE CURRENT YEAR,

RENDERED MARCH 6, 1850.

ALSO THE

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

ON THE

TOWN FARM.

FOR THE CURRENT YEAR.

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PETERBOROUGH, N. H.



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RECEIPTS.

By Henry Steele, Treasurer for 1849-50.

By amount Received of S. P. Steele,		\$118,38
By Received of J. Miller for Cider,		1,00
" County for J. Richardson and Wm. Stone,	40,00	
" Samuel Swan, Collector,	200,00	
" J. Scott for State Literary Fund,	77,53	
" T. K. Ames for License Circus,	30,00	
" A. Childs, Note and Interest,	48,40	
" Ivers Smith on his Note,	60,00	
" Samuel Swan, Collector,	26,20	
" E. S. Cutter, for W. Stone and Wallace boy,	45,00	
" L. Tarbox for Produce sold from Farm,	100,00	
" Wirling Gregg, Note and Interest,	68,22	
" John Turner for Cider and Interest,	2,48	
" J. S. Morrison for Rail Road Tax,	65,24	
" Samuel Swan, Collector,	59,00	
" Peterboro' Manf. Co., Highway Tax,	23,28	
" Phoenix " " balance,	6,30	
" Taxes taken before 15th Sept.,	60,00	
" Less 7 per cent.,	4,20	55,80
" Taxes taken before 10th January, 3578,27		
" Less 5 per cent,	178,91	3399,36
" J. Cram for use Town Hall,		2,00
" Samuel Swan, Collector,		185,00
" " "		43,00
" " "		48,00
" Abatements of Taxes in		
1846-7-8-9 as per schedule,		96,74

		\$4800,93

EXPENDITURES.

To Paid State Tax for 1849,		\$532,20
County " "	756,28	
Interest on money borrowed for same,	10,07	
E. S. Cutter for paying same,	2,00	768,35
Interest on Lit. Fund to Town Library.		45,00
Elijah Dunbar balance of 1847,		4,56
" " " 1848,		20,65
" " " 1849,		100,00

Soldiers' Rations,	37,50
" \$1 each, 1849,	57,00
" \$1 each, 1848,	7,00

Winter Highway Labor, 1848-9.

To Paid Isaac Edes,	2,60
Wm. S. Bradford,	2,28
J. K. White,	5,08
Samuel Miller,	5,08
Samuel Adams,	5,75
Ivers Smith,	2,70
Isaac Proctor,	1,48
Asa Carley,	1,00
Reuben Cram,	2,07
John Vose,	4,00
John Stewart,	8,48
Wm. Puffer,	5,00
Joseph True,	3,16
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	\$48,68

For Repairs on Roads and Bridges.

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To Paid	Charles Temple, Plank and Timber for Bridge,	17,83
	David Wilson, Work on Union Bridge,	1,00
	Abial Sawyer, Labor on Jaquith Bridge,	68,00
	Joseph Brackett, Labor on Bridge,	3,00
	Samuel Miller, for 3 inch Plank,	5,52
	J. H. Steele, Lumber and Labor,	6,50
	Nathan Whitney, Labor on Bridges,	28,41
	Abial Sawyer, Labor on Bridge at Morrison's,	23,75
	Jeremiah Pritchard, Labor on Bridge at "	9,37
	S. & A. B. Smith, Nails, &c., for Bridges,	56
	Wm. Wallace, Shaving Poles for Railing,	1,50
	C. B. Carter, Repairing Roads,	1,50
	J. R. Gregg, Repairing Roads,	8,70
	G. Bassett, Fixing Irons for Railings,	1,59
	John Smith, Railing and Labor,	2,50
	Samuel Jaquith, Labor on Roads,	5,52
	H. N. Porter, Labor on Roads,	11,25
	Wm. Wood, Labor on Roads,	50
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		\$668,90

For the Poor and Poor Farm.

To Paid	the town of Lancaster for the Hovey Family,	150,00
	the town of Greenfield for Emerson " and Carter,	13,72
	George Dodge, Groceries, &c., for H. Holly,	32,82
	John Swallow, for keeping Travellers,	2,50
	Robert Marsh for keeping William Stone,	42,73
	W. C. Gray, for Wood, Removing Goods, &c.,	4,75
	Henry Steele, Groceries, &c., for Mrs. Avery,	4,50
	Edwin Steele, Meat for Mrs. Avery,	8,76
	D. B. Cutter, Attendance on Mrs. Avery,	1,00
	D. B. Cutter, Attendance at Farm,	3,75
	Follansbee & Smith, Attendance on E. Stevens, &c.,	7,56
	Merrimack Fire Insurance Company,	3,58
	Tax in town of Dublin on Farm,	4,77
	John Smith, for Money paid in 1840 in the suit Peterboro' vs. Lancaster, and Interest,	8,58
	T. K. Ames, to Lancaster, &c.,	42,06
	Edward Danforth, for services on Farm,	247,35
	Interest on Money to pay the same,	6,60
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		\$585,03

For Schools.

To Paid	District No. 1,	438,48
	District No. 2,	102,55
	District No. 3,	78,28
	District No. 4,	37,32

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

District No. 5,	61,95
District No. 6,	52,63
District No. 7,	75,86
District No. 8,	38,60
District No. 9,	138,53
District No. 10,	36,90
District No. 11,	46,84
District No. 12,	24,88
Daniel McClenning,	2,13
Ruel Richardson,	1,63
Zebediah Pevey,	3,31
Wm. Low,	1,87
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	\$1141,76

Incidental Town Expenses.

To Paid Montgomery Howe for Shingles,	36,77
Wm. M. Grimes for Laying Shingles,	8,96
J. C. Little & Co. for Nails, &c.,	4,24
S. H. Caldwell for Pipe, &c.,	2,00
Miller & Scott for Printing Town and School Reports,	28,00
Miller & Scott for Printing Receipts for Treasurer,	1,50
A. S. Scott, Services as School Committee,	6,00
J. G. Parker, Services as School Committee,	6,00
E. S. Cutter, Services as School Committee,	6,00
Saml. Gates, Services as Town Clerk and Librarian,	35,55
E. W. Clark Painting Guide Board, &c.,	1,75
A. P. Morrison, Invoice Books, &c.,	2,75
R. Goodridge, Stove in Library Room,	4,00
F. Kendall & Co, School Records,	3,39
Joseph Cram, Tolling Bell,	10,00
H. K. French, use of Room, &c., while taking Taxes,	3,00
George Washburn, Horses and Carriages,	2,00
J. H. Ames, Coffins and Bier,	11,50
J. H. Ames, Services as Sexton,	76,20
James Howe, Services as Auditor,	1,00
James Scott, Services,	2,00
Isaac Hadley, Services as Selectman,	41,30
T. K. Ames, Services as Selectman,	38,50
J. S. Morrison, Services as Selectman,	40,50
Henry Steele, Services as Treasurer,	25,00
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	\$397,91

Abatements.

To Paid Isaac Edes,	38
Franklin Mears,	2,40
William Moore's Estate,	1,92

To Paid Samuel White,	1,33
Samuel Swan, Abatements in 1846-7-8-9, as per Schedule,	96,74
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	\$102,77

RECAPITULATION.

<i>Receipts.</i>	<i>Expenditures.</i>
Bal in Treasury, 1849,	118,38
S. Swan, Collector,	561,20
County support Paupers,	85,00
Use Town House,	2,00
Literary Fund,	77,53
Poor Farm Produce,	280,10
Factory Highway Tax,	29,58
Rail Road Tax,	65,24
License Circus,	30,00
Col. on Tax list 1849,	3455,16
Abatements,	96,74
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	4800,93
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Liabilities of the Town.

Due Thomas Davidson for Timber for Bridges,	56,93
Due Swan & White for Plank, about	50,00
Due Thomas Upton for Damages allowed,	35,00
Due Luke Tarbox, Overseer Poor Farm, 1 year's Salary,	250,00
Due Soldiers, 1848, \$3—for 1849, \$11,	14,00
Due Amos Booth, School Money,	1,17
Due Samuel Swan for Collecting Taxes, about	33,00
Due John K. White, Damages on Brick Yard,	12,50
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	\$452,77

Amount Due the Town.

Balance in the hands of Treasurer as above,	283,62
Outstanding Taxes, 1847, \$3,06—1848, \$20,36—1849, \$170,18, in the hands of Samuel Swan, Collector,	193,60
Due from Produce of Poor Farm, sold,	123,11
Due from County for support of Paupers,	13,50
Due from Amherst for support of Mrs. McIntire, (a pauper,) about	18,00
Due from Mrs. Holly's Pension, about	100,00
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Liabilities brought down,	\$731,83
	452,77
Nominal balance in favor of the Town,	\$279,06

STOCK, PRODUCE, &c.,
ON THE TOWN FARM,
MARCH 1, 1850.

STOCK.		PROVISIONS.	
Four Oxen,	165,00	170 bush. Potatoes,	51,00
Ten Cows,	230,00	2 1-2 bbls. Pork, 10 cts.,	50,00
One three-year-old Heifer,	20,00	250 lbs. Ham, 10 cts.,	25,00
Five Two-year-olds,	60,00	1 1-2 bbls. Beef, 6 cts.,	16,00
Five Yearlings,	32,50	110 lbs. Butter, 17 cts.,	18,70
One Horse,	75,00	125 lbs. Lard, 10 cts.,	12,50
Nineteen Sheep,	38,00	450 lbs. Cheese, 6 cts.,	27,00
Three Swine,	30,00	25 lbs. Fresh Pork,	1,50
Thirteen Hens,	2,60	33 lbs. Sausages,	4,12
	—————	51 lbs. Dried Apple,	4,00
	\$653,10	10 lbs. Fresh Beef,	60
		Boiled Cider,	75
PRODUCE.			
13 Tons Hay, 1st quality,	130,00	2 1-2 bbls. Apples,	4,00
14 1-2 " " 2d "	116,00	3 bush. Onions,	1,50
5 " Meadow Hay,	25,00	1 1-2 bush. Carrots,	34
95 bushels Corn,	95,00	3 1-4 bbls. Soap,	11,37
80 bush. Oats, 45 per bush,	36,00	3-4 bbls. Pickles,	3,00
15 bush. Barley,	10,00	6 gals. Applesauce,	75
9 bush. Rye,	9,00	5 1-2 bbls. Cider,	11,00
9 bush. White Beans,	13,50	2 bags Fine Salt,	50
1 1-2 bush. Colored Beans,	1,50	2 bush. Coarse Salt,	1,34
1 bush. Peas,	1,00	1-3 bbl. Flour,	2,00
35 yards of Flannel,	17,50	3 gals. Molasses,	1,00
43 yards Frocking,	21,50	25 lbs. Candles,	3,00
19 pairs Feeting,	3,75		
Leather,	50		
Lumber,	10,00		
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	\$490,25		
			\$250,97

ACCOUNT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES ON
THE TOWN FARM, FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE
POOR, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1850.

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To Farm, Tools, &c., as appraised March 1, 1849,	3630,50
Interest on Farm, Tools, &c., to March 1, 1850,	217,83
Stock on Farm, March 1, 1849,	593,00
Produce and Lumber, March 1, 1849,	507,23
Provisions, March 1, 1849,	259,16
Amount due Superintendant, March 1, 1850,	250,00
Produce and articles sold from Farm, by Superintendant, to pay Store bill, Blacksmith bill, &c., as per his acct.,	162,50

Debts Due Farm prior to March 1, 1849.

Ivers Smith, Note and Interest for Oxen,	81,68
Wirling Gregg, Note and Interest for Oxen,	65,08
Milton Carter, Note and Interest for Cow,	18,00
Amzi Childs, Note and Interest,	47,00
Nathaniel F. Laws, Note and Interest,	54,35
John Turner, for Cider,	2,00
Jesse Miller, for Cider,	1,00
Rufus Forbush, for Wood,	4,00
Edward Danforth, to balance his account,	9,96
County, board of J. Richardson, and funeral expenses,	12,00
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	\$5915,29

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To Farm, Tools, &c., as appraised March 1, 1850,	3630,50
Stock on Farm March 1, 1850,	653,10
Produce and Lumber March 1, 1850,	490,25
Provisions March 1, 1850,	250,97
Derrick bought of Nathaniel F. Laws,	20,00
Cash paid by Superintendant for Store bills, Blacksmith bills, extra labor, &c., as per his account.	162,50
Cash received and paid over to Town Treasurer by Superintendant for Produce sold from Farm,	100,00
On Ivers Smith's Note,	60,00
Wirling Gregg, Note and Interest,	68,22
Amzi Childs, Note and Interest,	48,40
County, for board of Joseph Wallace, Wm. Stone and funeral expenses of J. Richardson,	42,27
Asa F. Gowing, for Hay,	12,76
Edward Danforth, to balance his account,	9,96
John Turner, for Cider,	2,48
Jesse Miller, for Cider,	1,00
Wood and Produce furnished Mr. Stevens from the Farm,	345,09
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	12,76

Debts now Due and Unpaid.

Nathaniel F. Laws, Note and Interest,	37,35
Milton Carter, Note and Interest,	19,24
Balance on Ivers Smith's Note,	24,31
Amherst, for board of Mrs. McIntire,	18,00
Luke Tarbox, to balance his account,	15,08
County, for board of William Stone,	13,50
Mrs. Holly's Pension,	40,00
T. K. Ames, for 20 bushels of Oats,	9,00
J. C. Little & Co., for Produce,	3,87
Asa Davis, for Produce,	1,34
Henry Steele, for Produce,	1,35
E. W. Clark, for Cider,	1,50
Peter Bruce, for Potatoes,	1,70
James P. Shedd, for Labor,	2,00
John Fife, for Hay,	4,67
Edward Danforth, for Soap	1,75
	194,61

Amount of Debt, \$5915,29
 Amount of Credit, 5759,78

Balance against the Farm, \$155,51

The whole number of Paupers on the Farm, March 1, 1849, was five. The number on Farm, March 1, 1850, eleven. The average number supported during the year, 9 1-6.

The above Report is respectfully submitted.

ISAAC HADLEY, } Selectmen
 TIMOTHY K. AMES, } of
 JOSIAH S. MORRISON, } Peterborough.

PETERBOROUGH, MARCH 1, 1850.

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